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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- Application 22 pages, including 5 independent claims and 28 claims 1. total.
- 2. Drawings - 9 sheets of formal drawings containing 12 figures.
- 3. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-195165 Application No., filed June 28, 2000.



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- 4. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with document attached.
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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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